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BIG SHIP ASHORE OFF N. E. COAST

MORE TOLL TAKEN BY U-BOATS

Big Norwegian Freighter Sommerstad,
Under U. S. Shipping Board, Sunk
Off Fire Island Monday—Two Other
Fishing Vessels Also Destroyed--
Crews Landed at Nantucket

(By Associated Press)
New York, Aug. 13.—German submarines took toll of American shipping in waters adjacent to this port again yesterday when the Norwegian steamship Sommerstad was sunk off Fire Island. The 3375 ton freighter was sent to the bottom not far from

the locality where the United States cruiser San Diego was blown up on July 19.
The Sommerstad, whose crew of 31 was brought here today, was under the United States Shipping Board control.

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**Movement on Southern Part of Picardy
Battle Front Progressing Favorably--
French Occupy Trenches Evacuated By
Enemy--Stubborn Fight is in Progress
for Possession of the Crest of Lassigny Massif**

NINETY ON CASUALTY LIST TODAY

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Aug. 13.—The army casualty list today showed: Killed in action, 14; died of wounds, 3; died of accident, 1; wounded severely, 52; wounded, degree undetermined, 19; missing in action, 1; total 90. There were no New Hampshire names on the list.

(By Associated Press)
London, Aug. 13.—The French launched another attack this morning on the southern part of the Picardy battlefield, and according to latest reports were making progress in the valley of the Oise. The Germans are evacuating their trenches in the river bank west of Vailly and the French are occupying them.

To the northwest the French are almost entirely on the crest of Lassigny Massif, where heavy fighting is in progress. Only at one corner of the Massif do the Germans appear for a moment to be in possession. This corner is one of the highest points on the hill, rising a few feet above the position, now in possession of the

French. The French are attacking this height strongly and there seems every prospect of the contest ending in their favor. When the French get their guns to the top, then the enemy's communications with Roye will come under observed fire.

London, Aug. 13.—Heavy local fighting is reported in progress at Esplanette on the north bank of the Vesle where the Franco-American forces are holding the line. The Allies here were attacked by the enemy and forced to retire to the south bank of the river. An immediate counter attack was launched and, according to the latest reports the old position of the Allies on the north bank of the river has been restored.

BRAZILIAN SHIP LOSES HER COURSE

Loaded With Sugar for Allies, Huge
Freighter Runs Aground in Heavy
Fog 1500 Feet Off Shore at Nine
O'clock This Morning

(By Associated Press)
An Atlantic Port, Aug. 13.—A Brazilian freight steamer ran ashore on the New England coast during a heavy fog today. The tide was receding at the time and shore observers believed that the vessel was in a dangerous position.

One report was that the steamer was evading a German submarine. A later report was that the steamer which was loaded with sugar, had just her way in the fog.

Coast Guard men who went aboard declined to say how the captain explained being so far off his course. The vessel, they said, was resting on a sandy bottom about 1500 feet from shore.

The steamer formerly of German registry was taken over by the Brazilian government when that country entered the war.

The huge steamer, which was on her way from this country to one of the allied countries with a cargo of sugar went aground about 9 o'clock this morning, and her plight was first discovered by a surfman from a nearby coast guard station. The crew of the

station set out in a boat and boarded the vessel.
Although there is a heavy sea running the ship is not considered in danger at present. With the probable assistance of naval vessels, an attempt will be made to get her off at the next high tide. If this is not successful there will then be danger of the freighter breaking up.

GERMAN ARMY ON THE WAY TO PETROGRAD

(By Associated Press)
London, Aug. 13.—The Exchange Telegraph's correspondent at Copenhagen reports a dispatch in Copenhagen newspapers from Helsinki, declaring that the Germans intend to occupy Petrograd.

Troops for this purpose are already being brought toward the objective, it is added.

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FISHERMEN BRUTALLY TREATED

Are Knocked Down By Germans When
They Didn't Move Fast Enough--Forced
to Witness American Flag Trampled
Upon By Hun Commander

(By Associated Press)
Nantucket, Aug. 13.—An American flag torn from the masthead of the little schooner Lena, May, one of the fishermen sunk by a German submarine off the New England coast Saturday, was taken aboard the enemy craft by a German officer who wrapped it around his neck and began a grotesque dance, while his men each armed with a revolver looked on and cheered.

This story was told today by survivors who were forced to witness the performance. The fishermen had been ordered aboard the U-boat where ten of them stood up against the coming tower to be photographed. As they were being taken up, for the picture they were jeered by the U-boat's crew, and knocked about when they failed to

move as rapidly as the commander wished.

The mate of the Lena May declares that the Germans were drunk. He said they jeered as the flag was finally flung down and stamped on. All of the men said that they received outrageous treatment at the hands of the Germans. In the desire to obtain food and clothing the submarine commander set out in a dory and to save his own men from the work of rowing, he forced Captain Lynch and two other fishermen to man the boat.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Cloudy tonight; warmer tonight and Wednesday.



JUST DAVID

By ELEANOR H. FORTER
Author of "Pollyanna"

Ten year old David and his father (a famous violinist) lived on a mountain, with the woods, the wild things, and their two violins. Then a change came and David was left to the care of gruff farmer folk in whom the warmth of kindness was buried deep. But "Just David" brought music and sunshine into many lives and played a part in a very pretty romance.

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RESERVES SENT INTO THE BATTLE

Germans Try to Stop Onward Movement of Allies, But Fail Even With New Reinforcements

(By Associated Press)

Although the Germans are employing fresh forces of reserves in their effort to hold back the allies troops who are pressing them along the Somme and Oise sectors, the Americans, British and French continue to make material gains.

Monday showed gains of ground along the entire battle front by all of the allies. After an extremely bitter contest the Americans and British gained a foot hold in the very important town of Bray-Sur-Somme on the North bank of the river a short distance across from Procy and midway of the line pressed forward in an easterly direction and are in a position to further outflank Chaumes from the south and Roye from the North.

In their part the French in the rolling country north of the Oise river captured Gury a position of great military value and continued on toward Lassigny and on several other points to the Oise they have made advances in the direction of Neoyon.

In Monday's fighting hundreds of prisoners were added to those already counted and the up-to-date list of the capture is 40,000, since the present offensive began.

The Germans at last account were throwing reinforcement into the

Chaumes-Roye and Noyon line, the passage of which would not alone menace the entire German line but pocket many more prisoners.

The Allies are not only pressing forward with frontal attack but they have brought up guns of medium and untraced calibre and are shelling the area well back of the German line even as far as Bethencourt on the Somme a distance of eleven miles from the present front.

Meanwhile the airplanes are bombing the Germans lines and sweeping low and raking the German formations with machine guns fire.

Seemingly the advance of the French troops has been of great importance, this country of the Oise which they hold dominates the valley of the Oise river.

Along the Vesle river the Germans have delivered several violent counter attacks but in every case they have been met by the Americans and hurled back with heavy casualties to the Germans.

The British airmen have brought down a large German airship off the coast of Holland and the admiralty admit that a large Zeppelin of the latest and most improved type, has been brought down on the east coast of England.

KITTERY

Kittery, Aug. 13.—Mr. E. E. Gillespie of Somerville, Mass., has joined Mrs. Gillespie, who has been the guest of Mrs. C. M. Prince the past week.

Ralph Wentworth of Pleasant street is restricted to the house by illness.

Mrs. Stacey of Cape Porpoise has returned to Kittery for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Howard Perkins of Ots Avenue.

Mrs. Charles Chapman of Butler's Crossing is passing three weeks at her former home in Hunter River, N.S. Mr. and Mrs. Edward V. Latta are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Arthur Edward.

Horace Davis, U. S. N., has been the recent guest of his sister, Mrs. Ralph Gerry of Kittery Depot.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Webber of Stinson street were visitors in Kennebunk on Monday evening.

The Girls League will meet on Wednesday evening in the library.

Miss Eleanor Craig of Portsmouth passed Sunday with Mrs. George Seaward of Walker street.

Mrs. Charles Meredith and little son of Central street have returned from a visit with relatives in Gloucester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gagnon of Pleasant street passed the week end in Berry, N. H.

Mahlon L'Amoureux of Minneapolis, Minn., has been visiting his father E. E. L'Amoureux of Government street. They have been passing a few days at Hampton Beach.

Ralph Hutchins passed the week end in Exeter.

Daniel Lunt of Pleasant street passed Sunday in Portland.

Kittery Grange holds a regular monthly meeting on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Sarah Latta who has been passing several weeks in Lynn, has returned to Kittery.

Mrs. Harjman of Lynn returned home on Monday after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Chapman of Locke's Cove.

The Ladies P. M. club of Portsmouth enjoyed an outing today at the home of Mrs. Clarence S. Chick.

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KITTERY DEPOT

James Webber of Stinson street left Monday evening for Kennebunk to report for duty at Camp Devens.

Miss Mary McMann has returned to her home in Lowell, Mass., after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. James Dwyer of Ots Avenue.

Mrs. John Hall of the Isles of Shoals has been a recent visitor in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wunder, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meyers, Mrs. Albert Hittomke and little son, and Miss Ruby Wendell motored to Dover on Sunday and passed the day there.

Carroll Sterling of Camp Devens passed the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sterling of the Post Road.

Miss Rita McQuill of Boston is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George C. Wilson of Oak Knoll.

The members of York Ryebekah Lodge will hold their annual picnic at Central Park, Dover, leaving on the 9 o'clock car on Thursday of this week.

Mrs. Lewis Wyman and daughter Margaret of Boston, are passing the month of August at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trethoven of Locke's Cove.

Miss Bernice Collins of Ots Ave., has returned from a week's stay at Hampton Beach.

CARD OF THANKS

We hereby desire to express our thanks and appreciation of the many kind deeds and words of sympathy, also the beautiful floral tributes sent on the occasion of the death of our dear one.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fernald and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Fernald and Family.

Mrs. Adelle B. Phillips.

Mrs. Julia H. Duncan.

Miss A. L. Fernald.

Mrs. Nettie Williams. Adv.

KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, Aug. 13.—Miss Guslo Phillips is having two weeks vacation from her duties at Foy's store, Portsmouth.

Miss Anna Corson and Miss Helen Corson have returned to their home in Fairfield, Me., after passing a week with Mrs. Morion Seaward.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gray passed the week end with relatives in Manchester, N. H.

Mrs. Ralph Seaward has returned to her home after spending several weeks with her sister in Roxbury, Mass.

Alfred Tobey returned to his work at the Atlantic Corporation, on Monday after being absent two weeks owing to an accident he sustained while at his work.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of the Congregational church met at the Community House, this afternoon to complete plans for the annual sale, which will be held on Wednesday afternoon and evening on the church grounds.

Oliver L. Friesbe of Tavistock is

land will give the address at the corner of Commercial and Main streets, Thursday, August 14. Mr. Friesbe has been a member of this lodge for 25 years.

Franklin Edward Lawry celebrated his 76th birthday last week by making a trip to York. Lodge in Capt. Frank Macdonald's motor boat, and caught a good fare of cod and haddock. Capt. Lawry was one of twins born in 1843 and served in the Civil War.

Christian Endeavor prayer service will meet at the First Christian church this evening at 7:45.

Baptist church prayer meeting will be held at the vestry this evening at 7:30.

A company of soldiers left last week from Fort Foster, Gerish Island, leaving only a few in the fort, but a company is expected this week to take the place of those sent away to Virginia.

The searchlight at this fort lights our harbor every night.

Dr. J. C. O'Brien of Parkfield Hotel motored with his family to Portland today and called on friends.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bond is confined to her home quite ill.

Joseph E. Friesbe arrived at Tavistock Island Saturday night from his trip in eastern Maine. He traveled 882 miles on his tour of inspection of the Western Union Telegraph Co. offices last week.

Miss J. C. Rondelle of Boston has arrived at Hotel Parkfield to visit her daughter, Mrs. Howard G. Smith, who is spending the summer there.

Artist Howard C. Smith of Boston who is spending the summer at Hotel Parkfield has returned from the Portsmouth Hospital where he underwent a slight operation for blood poisoning.

NORTH KITTERY

North Kittery, Aug. 13.—George Woodward and sons of Dorchester, Mass., were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Brooks Sunday.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merion Littlefield was christened Alice Electa, by Rev. H. W. Brooks Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Littlefield, in the presence of the immediate family and intimate friends of the couple. The condition of both mother and daughter is reported favorable.

Mrs. Annie Pierce has been restricted at her home in North Kittery by tonsillitis.

There will be an entertainment given in the Peoples' Society building Thursday evening, Aug. 15th, under the direction of the former president of the society, Mr. Walter B. Pettigrew. Talent from Portsmouth and the immediate vicinity will furnish the program and a splendid evening's entertainment is assured. Ice cream and candy will be on sale.

A jitney has been started here by Malcolm Parsons carrying passengers to and from the navy yard.

HALF MILLION FOR SPORTS

What is probably the largest individual order ever placed for sporting goods has just been put through by the National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. for the American Expeditionary Force in France. It comes to more than half a million dollars and is designed to accommodate from one-and-a-half to two million of our boys "over there."

Twenty of the largest manufacturers of sporting goods were asked to compete for the order, and ten of them submitted bids. The order has been apportioned among all of those, the awards being made on the basis of quality and prices.

Experts have been busy scrutinizing the goods, outfitting open base balls, boxing gloves, moccasins, and so forth, to make sure that everything is of the finest quality. This, in addition to the furnishing of a bond by the manufacturers for the faithful performance of their agreement, and moreover that the goods be subject to further inspection at the factory.

The goods are intended for next season's requirements, and to make assurance doubly sure that they arrive in France by early spring, the latest deliveries have to be made in New York by the manufacturers by December 1.

P. Louis Shale, member of the finance committee of the War Work Council, said that by reason of special prices and the size of the order, the shipping will insure. League baseballs for the boys overseas. And, by the way, there are 150,000 of these baseballs included in the order.

The rest of the order is on a proportionately big scale. For instance, there are 43,200 regulation baseball bats, 13,200 indoor ball bats, 18,900 fielders' gloves and 2,700 catchers' masks. Other baseball accessories are 1,500 catchers' mitts and 4,500 protectors.

The order also includes 200 medicine balls, 14,400 soccer balls, 5,400 volley balls and 3,600 volley balls; 37,000 indoor baseballs; 7,200 basket balls and 10,500 Rugby footballs. Extra blades are provided for the balls.

Among the other items included in the order are 3,600 sets of boxing gloves, each set consisting of four gloves.

The day the big order was placed, a cablegram was received requesting that two thousand pairs of boxing gloves be rushed overseas for use in the French army. The request was immediately complied with.

Try a classified ad. in the Portsmouth Herald. It will pay you.

ANNA HELD, THE ACTRESS DEAD

(By Associated Press)

New York, Aug. 12.—Anna Held, the noted actress died here today after several months' illness.

EXETER

Exeter, Aug. 13.—The sale of one of Exeter's old historical houses, formerly owned by the late Dr. C. H. Gerrish, was recorded last week, the transaction being through Auctioneer John H. Perkins to Mrs. Riva H. Perkins of New York. This house was known as the old Giddings house, and later as the Rowland house, and is situated on Park street.

History states that it was the property of Zebulon Giddings in 1723, and three generations of the family lived there, it figuring in the "midst tree" plot in 1734. It was in the old house, which was then a tavern, and frequented by lumbermen while on their way to the river with the timber for the ships that the riot was planned.

The riot consisted of a disturbance when a party of 10 men were sent from Portsmouth by Donald Dunbar, surveyor-general, to protect against the Exeter lumber men cutting tall trees for masts which had been preserved for the Queen's navy. The lumbermen, disguised themselves as Native Indians, and made an attack on the visitors, dressing for the conflict in the old house. So roughly were they used that they never proceeded to the mill at Cornhill, now Brentwood, but on the next day proceeded back to Portsmouth in their sail boat as they had come the night before.

The old house is of more than passing interest to lovers of early history during these days when ship building is being revived in this section. Other meetings were also held there later to plan against the abuses of the British parliament.

Dr. John Giddings and Col. Elphinstone Giddings, sons of Zebulon, lived there till 1836, when the property was the home of Rev. John Rowland, retired minister from the First Congregational church, and a son-in-law of Col. Elphinstone Giddings. He died in 1843, and his children lived there until the last of his daughter's died in 1888.

The new owner of the old house will remodel it, and erect one of the modern residences on the site of the old structure.

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MEALS AT NOMINAL PRICE

Emergency Kitchens in Dutch Capital Have Been Found to Be of Great Value.

Emergency kitchens were not known in Holland before the war, but are now established in all the larger cities for the purpose of supplying the poor, as well as persons and families of small means, with one warm and wholesome meal a day at a nominal price. In The Hague are three such kitchens, which are well patronized, and have accomplished a great amount of good.

One was established by the municipal government and is mainly intended for the use of the really poor of the city. It furnishes to all callers one meal daily for the price of four cents.

The menu for one week follows: Monday, oatmeal, milk, butter, and sugar; Tuesday, potatoes, carrots, onions, and beef; Wednesday, potatoes, red cabbage, and beef; Thursday, pea soup, with pork; Friday, potatoes, potatoes, beans, and edible fats; Saturday, potatoes, beans, and edible fats. No meals are served on Sundays.

Another kitchen was established by the Dutch Society of Housewives, and is intended for the use of small-salaried persons. Dinners are served in the restaurant for 12 cents, and for 10 cents if sent for. The dinners consist of meat or soup, vegetables, and potatoes.

The third kitchen was also started by private initiative and is patronized by the better-salaried persons, such as teachers, clerks, officers of the army, etc., who here get a good square meal for 30 cents.

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COAST GUARD STATION SHELLED WITH GAS

Six Men at Smith Island Overcome by Poison Gas--German U-Boat Sunk by U. S. Destroyer--British and Norwegian Steamers Sunk--Possibly Twenty Fishing Schooners Sunk off Georges Bank

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, Aug. 12.—Using poison gas the German submarine bombarded the coast guard station at Smith Island off the North Carolina coast on Saturday night. Six men were overcome but none of them have died.

The dispatch relating the use of poisonous gas by the raider was one of several that the Navy Department is circulating today regarding the activities of the German U-boat off the coast.

One dispatch told of how an American destroyer attacked a submarine about 100 miles off the coast on Sunday and dropped 17 depth charges where the submarine was last seen to disappear. The result of the attack was the presence of oil appeared and nothing more has been seen of the submarine.

Another told of the sinking of the British steamer Penelope 433 gross tons and the Norwegian steamer Sydland off the New England coast. The former was sunk by a torpedo and the latter by a bomb.

An Atlantic Port, Aug. 12.—The number of fishing schooners sunk by the German submarine off the Georges fishing bank on Saturday was nearer a score than nine as reported. This was the belief of Mate Andrew St. Croix of the schooner Kate Palmer which was one of the ships sunk.

He said that from the cross trees of his schooner he saw the U-boat sink seven schooners and then heard her set off eleven bombs, assuming that there was one to a ship, eleven were sent to the bottom. The submarine did not use its guns although she had two mounted—one forward and the other aft. According to the Mate St. Croix there were between 25 and 30 fishing schooners off the banks when the raider appeared among them and he thought that there were at least forty dory loads of men adrift.

The mate and members of the crew were picked up by a motor boat after rowing 160 miles. None of the other members of the various ships have been reported, and the heavy fog of Monday interfered with the rescue work. Captain Edward Russell of the Palmer was landed at another port.

the other car then abreast of him suddenly swung across the road, the driver evidently becoming rattled. Both cars came together head on with a crash that could be heard for some distance and they remained locked a mass of wreckage. Mr. Wiggins was thrown out and Miss Ruth Schurman was thrown and received a cut on her knee. Mr. Wiggins struck on his shoulder and while no bones were broken he was badly shaken up and suffering considerable pain when removed to his home.

Nobody in the Arthur Schurman car was injured. The cars were so locked together that it took a pair of horses to pull them apart and they are probably wrecked beyond repair.

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ONLY FORTY-FOUR MEN IN CLASS ONE

The next draft from the Local War Board will be on August 28 when 17 men from this district will leave for Camp Devens.

At the present time there are 44 men in Class one, of the 1918 registrants, with 23 of limited service, so that only 21 men will be left at the end of the month. This is better than was anticipated as it was understood that the August calls would be so heavy that they would exhaust class one entirely.

The registration in class one of the 1917 registrants are 2 for active service and 125 of limited service. The two in class one however are only sick and one on appeal case, so that the call will come entirely from 1918 registrants.

RUSSIA RISING AGAINST GERMANY

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Aug. 12.—The possibility of an eastern front that would be a menace to Germany became known today when the proclamation of the leaders of the Russian provinces from Archangel to the Don Cosacks region making a crescent shape line. This is made up of the best people of Russia, who are strongly pro-ally and who recognize in the domination of Germany a menace to their future liberty.

A GOOD WAY TO INCREASE DELAY

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Aug. 12.—Another women's party demonstration against the delay on the part of the Senate to take up the equal suffrage bill was staged here this afternoon when fifty-eight women were arrested for gathering with banners in front of the Lafayette monument. They were taken to the police headquarters and released and later re-arrested, having started to do the same thing over again.

SEMPER FIDELIS.

(By George William Bonte, in the New York Herald)

Where the cold winds blow from the drifted line
To the wastes of the Murman shore;
Where the Uda sweep round from the bleak North Cape
To the White Sea's narrow door;
Where the arctic breeds
Where the fur-seal feeds,
Where the sands blow smooth and clean;
You will find in camp, in a dog tent damp—
The United States Marine.

Where the earth bakes white and the palm tree droops
And the shark an creaks the tide;
Where the horned-head squall and the snake-bite roils
And the outlawed Greasers hide;
Where the light-damp chills
Where the fever kills,
Where the drinking water's green;
You will find on deck, dirty work to check—
The United States Marine.

Where the Godless Hun blows his poison gas
Over the corpse-strewn fields of France;
Where the Red Cross nurse and the wounded man
With the Boche have a damned small chance;
Where the outraged maid
For her white soul prayed,
Where the family ladder's lean;
Will the World be freed from the Kaiser's breed
By the U. S. A. Marine.

Our Classified Ads Bring Results

JAPANESE JOIN CZECHS

The Hague, Aug. 12.—Japanese advance troops are in touch with the Czech-Slovaks, says a Moscow despatch to the Weser Zeitung of Bremen.

The Czech troops at Vladivostok, who have been in touch with the Japanese for some time, are separated from their comrades in western Siberia, who hold the trans-Siberian railroad west of Irkutsk.

If this despatch is meant to refer to the Czech-Slovaks in western Siberia, it is undoubtedly incorrect, as no advance by the allied forces from Vladivostok has been reported.

Great Activity by Japanese

Situation in Siberia Said to Call for Tens of Thousands of Troops

London, Aug. 11.—Although Japanese newspapers are not allowed to report military movements it may be assumed from the great activities of the general staff and other departments that the expedition as announced calls only for a few thousand men it is becoming clear daily from the reports from Siberian centres, the real situation calls for tens of thousands. It is now clear the Czechs and Cosacks cannot continue to hold in check the well equipped Magyars, Germans and Bolsheviks. No one knows this better than the Japanese government. It is aware of the true situation in Siberia. Hence the preparation of real aid to the men at the battlefronts instead of the mock assistance implied by the military occupation which is outside of the battle area.

GERMAN CONSUL INTERNED

(By Associated Press.)

Boston, Aug. 12.—Oswald Kamhardt, former consul general of Germany in Boston, was today ordered interned at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. He was arrested some time ago at his summer home in Manchester.

BASE BALL

National League
Boston-New York rain.
Philadelphia-Brooklyn, rain.
Pittsburgh 11, Chicago 1.
Cincinnati 1, St. Louis 3.
American League
New York 2, Boston 1.
Washington 1, Philadelphia 1, called a ninth rain.
Chicago 2, Cleveland 1.

NO MORE LIQUOR SALES ON R. R. TRAINS

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, Aug. 12.—The sale of liquor at railroad stations or on the cars on any train, operated by the government was forbidden today by Secretary McAdoo.

NEWINGTON

Newington, Aug. 12.—The thunder showers of the past week have been very severe and the barn which was owned by the Misses Lizzie and Sophia Hoyt was struck and burned to the ground.

The dance of Friday evening which was to be held in the Town Hall was postponed on account of the weather. The regular meeting of the Piscataqua Grange was held in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening last and the third and fourth degrees were worked on a class of candidates after which a dainty lunch was served of cookies and ice cream. Then a social hour was enjoyed by all.

Miss Mary Pickering and Mrs. Young were visitors to the beach recently.

Mrs. Ransom of Mattapoisett, Mass., is passing a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Darius Frink.

Wendell Coleman who is employed at the ship yard met with what might have been a serious accident this week. He was treated at the shipyard hospital, several stitches being taken.

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SACCO GARAGE

GERMAN GENERALS 'CAUGHT NAPPING'

London, Aug. 12.—Three German generals recently commanding near Montclair have been cashiered for neglect of duty, according to Belgian reports received in Amsterdam and transmitted by the Exchange Telegraph Company.

A large number of soldiers were court-martialed at St. Quentin in high treason.

The Germans in Belgium are showing signs of great uneasiness and the German Governor is reported to have moved to Brussels.

BROTHERS' CARS IN COLLISION

An automobile owned and driven by Joseph Schurman, was run into by an automobile owned by Arthur Schurman and driven by a young man, in front of the home of James Schurman on Middle road on Monday evening and at least two people were injured while both cars were wrecked. In the car with Mr. Schurman was his daughter Ruth and a younger child and Mr. Horace Wiggins, they were coming in Middle road and the car of Arthur Schurman was going out the road. Mr. Schurman was well on his own side of the road and

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NEW ENGLAND HEALTH CONFERENCE

Boston, Aug. 12.—The health commissioners from the New England States met in private conference today in the office of the Massachusetts commissioner in the State House. Their purpose was to see what can be done by cooperation of all the States to promote the operation of the Knapp Chamberlain law for the regulation of special diseases. The appropriation of the National Government for the purpose was \$1,000,000, and it is believed that more can be done for New England by all the States acting together than by having a separate appropriation for each State. In addition to Commissioner Eugene R. Kelley of Massachusetts, there were present Dr. L. D. Bristol, health commissioner of Maine; Dr. Byron U. Richards, secretary of the State Board of Health of Rhode Island; Dr. Charles F. Delton, secretary of the State Board of Health of Vermont; Dr. D. E. Sullivan, acting secretary of the State Board of Health of New Hampshire; and Dr. John T. Buck, health commissioner of Connecticut.

Boston Fish Market Company, and other fish concerns. This charge was made at the recess hearing and would then reappear at the marine corps recruiting station.

"Shylock didn't have a thing," on the machine," declared Head. "He only wanted one pound of flesh—these fellows want fifteen. Gee, it's tough to be a fish man."

ORSEQUIES

Edward Raitt

The funeral services of Edward Raitt were held from the home on Sagamore Ave., Monday afternoon at 2:30. The Rev. P. W. Caswell of the Court street Christian Church officiating. Mrs. May Raitt sang "Another Hand is Beckoning Us" and "I know not what the Future Hath." De Witt Clinton Commandery Knights Templar held their services at the home.

house, William J. Kennedy, Fred A. Gray, August Hett and James Grimm acted as bearers.

Interment was in the family lot in Sagamore cemetery under the direction of J. Veine Wood.

FOR WAR RELIEF AT RYE

Light, Capt. Thomas Mott Osborne will give a lecture on "The Great War and Prisons at the Farragut Casino, Aug. 20, at 4 p. m. Tickets can be procured at the Farragut, Green's Drug Store, Portsmouth and of Miss Fowler, Little Bear's Head."

HEALTH AND WEALTH

The government intends that Portsmouth shall increase in health as well as in wealth because of the war—Concord Monitor.

Read the Portsmouth Herald if you want to keep posted on the local happenings.

OLD HOME WEEK

Salisbury Beach

Sept. 9 to 14

Visit the Beach this month, too. Band Concert Tuesday and Thursday evenings and Sunday Afternoon and Evening.

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Time to Increase the Pressure.

While in one sense it might seem strange that there should be a call for such an enlargement of the army as is proposed at a time when things are moving so strongly in favor of the Allies, when the situation is rightly regarded it becomes apparent that this is just the time for the United States to put its best foot forward and throw its full strength into the struggle. The Germans are on the run and the thing to do is to keep them going. Instead of imagining that the war has been won and slackening effort in the least degree, now is the time to increase the pressure against the enemy until he is crushed into complete submission. The war is to be won by the Allies, and the sooner it is won, the better. And the sooner the United States throws in its forces without reserve the sooner the war will be brought to an end. Great Britain, France and Italy are doing all they can. The United States has a lot of reserve force and now is the time to apply it.

For this reason most men will agree with General March and Secretary Baker when they urge that the army be raised to 5,000,000 in the shortest practicable time. They would have the draft ages extended so as to take in men from 18 to 45 years. It is suggested that the youngsters might not be sent over at once, but they would be placed in training and would be ready for active service in case they should be needed. The arrangement would mean a very powerful army for this country, an army which, co-operating with the Allies, would mean an early downfall of the German hosts and a satisfactory end of the conflict.

This is what the world desires and this is the end to be achieved. And now is the time to act. The enemy has been turned toward home and should be kept moving. What is needed is force, and force without limit, as President Wilson recently said. This the United States has and it should be applied without a moment's unnecessary delay.

That is why this call comes for a great enlargement of the army at this time. The fighting is not yet done. There is more hard work to be accomplished, and the thing to do is to prepare to accomplish it in the shortest possible space of time. The Allies now have the advantage in the struggle and it must be followed up, and to this end the American forces should be augmented until their weight, with that of the Allies, becomes overwhelming.

General March and Secretary Baker are good judges of the situation and the needs of the situation. They urge prompt action. They have made a most favorable impression on the Senate Military Affairs committee and there is reason to expect that the proper action will be taken, and taken promptly. If this is done it is quite possible that the war will end sooner than is now expected. And all will agree that it cannot end too soon, provided always that it ends in a way to insure freedom and peace to the world.

Chauncey M. Depew says there must be fighting on German soil, and it is reported that the Kaiser is already selecting an army for special defense of the "vaterland." It looks very much as if the "defensive" war which he claims to have been fighting from the start would become a reality in time, and in even less time than he imagines.

Those hotel homes for navy yard workmen are now ready for business and they will not lack business. They are in the hands of a competent manager and their opening will afford some relief from the crowded conditions of Kittery and this city.

Some of the rotten raincoat makers have been indicted and it is to be hoped that speedy conviction will follow, notwithstanding the fact that they can only be fined. Every convicted man ought to serve a stiff prison sentence.

General Crowder has called for something over 130,000 men to be sent to the training camps the latter part of this month. New Hampshire's quota is 250 and they will be ready when the time comes.

There is complaint that Newport's millionaire colony is importing too much liquor into the "barred zone." But, of course, these people are not bringing in liquor with "intent to sell." Not at all.

Drouth and excessive heat have done damage in sections of the country, but the outlook for bumper crops is excellent. There is a great deal to cheer the hearts of the American people and their Allies.

Portsmouth is a good city in which to live, but it is not yet a heaven on earth. Thieves still continue to break through and steal.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Will it be "Ante Extra" Next?

(From the Albany Journal)
There has been invented a grade of "extra fresh" eggs. So we may presume that the "strictly fresh" ones are no longer "strictly so."

Tank, Yank and Blank

(From the New York Sun)
Italy has the tanks, and Foch has the Yanks, and they both wallow Wilhelm and his blank, blank, blanks.

To Drive Hun From Russia

(From the New York Commercial)
Russians and Cossacks who have joined hands with them, control the territory between the Volga and the Ural Mountains they must be in possession of the Ural platinum mine, which Germany needs so badly. This is a strong reason for backing up their attempt to drive the Hun out of Russia.

Idea on an Iowa "Crick"

(From the Springfield Union)
An Iowa district draft board has achieved temporary fame by ruling that newspapers do not come under the head of essential industries. The reversal of this ruling will, of course, come in short order from Washington, where it is known and admitted that without the aid of the press the three Liberty Loans could never have been floated as successfully as they were, and that the Government is absolutely dependent on newspapers for the many forms of publicity to which it is obliged to resort. As for the ordinary citizen there is no question of what his attitude and conduct would be if deprived for even one week of his daily newspaper.

"Unconditional Surrender"

(From the Hartford Courant)
Nothing can prevent Germany from being brought to her knees next year if the Allied nations fighting for civilization and the freedom of the world rotate a unity of faith. We have passed the crisis of the war. Haig has said so, and he knows. The thing to do is to hold fast.

Inevitable defeat is starting the Hun in the face. He knows what to expect within a year. Talk of peace from Berlin will come soon if the German follows the precedent he has established since he plunged the world into this disaster. He will launch his time-worn "peace offensive" in an effort to hold his plunder. There is only one answer to be made when it comes. "Peace by Victory" is the slogan. Let us settle this thing and settle it right.

Saving by Buying Bonds

(From the St. Paul Pioneer Press)
In calculating the extent to which he will aid the Government by buying war bonds, the American will go a little further than otherwise he might by remembering that the money he invests in bonds is a saving to him of the money he might have to expend in taxation. He is dividing with posterity the cost of world democracy, instead of paying the whole cost through current taxation. Inasmuch as posterity will be the large beneficiary of the conditions which it is certain will follow a victorious ending of the war, it is right and equitable that it should pay its share of the expenses. This share it will pay through the redemption of the Liberty bonds. In the meanwhile the investor in Liberty bonds escapes that much of taxation, gets a fair interest return and buys the strongest security on the face of the earth.

Hogging Ways Our Pride

(From the New York Commercial)
Six months ago every demagogue and pro-German talked about the Hog Island "scandal." Calculations based were upset when 75 cents an hour for unskilled workmen became the minimum wage and more money had to be spent in constructing the great plant than the Government engineers had estimated. In the face of this storm of abuse the company went ahead. As one of its leading spirits said: "Let us build ships now, and put us in jail afterwards." Now the first large fabricated ship has been launched, and for the next year the rate of production will be one every three days with good prospects of making it one every two days. Hog Island has fifty ways for steamships, which is about four times the shipbuilding equipment of the British Isles outside of the dock yards of the Royal Navy, and it is only one of the many great American shipyards. Nothing can stop the manufacture of ships, for that is what it is now, if the steel mills can turn out the plates and shapes.

Are We Being Duped

(From the Waterbury American)
This matter of turning to and helping out 120,000 bushels of beans left over for last year's crop, which has been presented to us as a duty to help win the war, over the outspoken Bristol Press to express it self in these blunt terms:

Now why should the public purchase and eat beans at extravagant profiteering prices just to fatten the pockets of those who have them for sale? The very fact that the supply of old beans is so large is a sufficient proof of the fact that the crop was not short, but that it was held for the exclusive purpose of making money. The public is under no obligations whatever to the growers or

or sellers of beans and would show good judgment by refusing to purchase at starvation prices when the things are plentiful and abundant to excess. And (this sort of thing is by no means confined to beans.

This is an eye-opener. It is more than likely that the Food Administration had nothing to do with this bean proposal. We are inclined to think of every food proposition as being from the Government and so are bound and willing in patriotism to obey. Some profiteers are clever enough to take advantage of our stupidity.

Rallying Power of Athletics

(From Boston Commercial Bulletin)
There is no doubt that athletic training has been a great help in preparing our boys for battle, and it must have been of tremendous value to their morale in action, whether on the defensive or the offensive.

The natural inclination of man is to give up when an undertaking seems to be beyond his power of accomplishment. Athletic competition trains a boy to strive the harder when the contest is keen, and never to give up until he is physically unable to go on. When an oarsman in a race feels almost ready to expire he remembers that the other man is as exhausted as he is, and instead of slowing down he starts a sprint that may put him in the lead. A baseball game is not won until the third man is out in the last inning, and many a game that seemed lost has been won by a ninth inning rally.

Football is the sport that seems to resemble a battle, as pointed out by Hughes in "Tom Brown at Rugby," and our boys in France must have seen many points of resemblance to a game of football in the shifting fortunes of the campaign of 1918. When teams are of nearly equal strength it becomes more difficult to advance the ball as the goal line of the opponents is approached. If the prescribed ten yards are not gained in four downs of the team on the offensive the ball must be surrendered to their opponents who at once start their offensive.

Our boys have seen the Germans advance in successive drives toward their goal in Paris. Each drive was stopped more quickly than its predecessor, until the initiative has passed from the Hun to the Allies, and we have the pleasure of seeing the course of battle advancing toward the Berlin goal. The stalwart Americans are glad to line up with the French heroes and take the places of those whose injuries have forced them out of the game.

We have been told many times that the German soldier is taught to believe what he is told by his officers and not to think for himself, but it must be hard to convince him that he is winning a victory by being stopped and then driven back by the enemy. Meanwhile we have the ball, and the American boys are saying, "It's a long way to Berlin but we'll get there."

The Greatest Army Sin

(From the Lynn Item)
The secretary of a Y. M. C. A. in France asked a gathering of several hundred regulars what they consider the three greatest sins, and in their order they decided cowardice, selfishness and high-mindedness. We imagine that the same question put to the men who are not of the army would receive the same answer. Cowardice, moral and physical is meanness of mind and body, selfishness is despicable, and high-mindedness in another name for conceit. To the soldier the first is the most important, because the coward falls in an emergency to do his part of the teamwork, and endangers the lives of his comrades through his funk. But cowardice is relative and there is no man living who has not experienced a sensation of uneasiness at least at some manifestation on the battlefield. Some possess greater courage than others, and suffer less readily in trying situations. It is the axiom of the battlefields that there are few cowards in the army, and the few are compelled by example to become something better even if they cannot attain courage. The three o'clock in the morning courage is the kind that never fails. Cowardice is then far distant from the other and valuable quality.

Said they to Schwab, "We Will"

(From the Hartford Courant)
Charles M. Schwab has had to listen to a lot of speeches in his time. It is one of the penalties of life—being compelled to listen to speeches that you do not particularly care to hear. But Mr. Schwab heard a speech given by a crowd of shipbuilders down in Rhode Island the other day that he the shipyard had promised the Government sixteen ships this year and Mr. Schwab was there to attend the launching of one that, somehow or other stuck on the ways and didn't go into the water just as the builders had planned. No damage was done and the launching was merely postponed. The speech came from the men in response to the question put to them by Chairman Harriman of the Federal Shipbuilding Corporation. He said, "We'll give Mr. Schwab these sixteen ships, won't we boys?" And the answer was, "We will."

NEW PAY SCHEDULE

Order No. 27 and Supplement 4 of the new wage schedule were handed to each employee at the Boston & Maine shops at Concord on Saturday, and they are expected to be paid on the new wage scale next Tuesday.

TO LET—Furnished rooms at 188 Union street.

THE FRENCH AND BRITISH GAIN GROUND

(By Associated Press)

London, Aug. 13.—The wooden area around Des Loges south of Roye was captured by the French last night. By a German counter attack drove them back. The village of L'Esclapart has been captured by the French and further ground has been gained by them north of St. Croix farm.

British troops have gained additional ground north of Roye and north of the Somme, says today's official statement from Field Marshal Haig. The Germans last night attacked the British position in the Meuse sector. They were repulsed. The Germans delivered a local attack near Pouscourt on the line between Roye and Chantilly, but it was repulsed.

Paris, Aug. 13.—Last night was with out important developments or the main battlefront according to today's war office statement.

A BRITISH DESTROYER TORPEDOED

(By Associated Press)

London, Aug. 13.—A British destroyer was sunk by an enemy submarine in the Mediterranean Sea on August 6th. Seven of the destroyer's complement were lost, the Admiralty announced today.

I WONDER

When those houses will be under construction on the city lots of the Almshouse field?

What the Fossilick Commission is going to do with the lot at the corner of Mulberry and Daniel streets?

Who will lead the big band organizing at the navy yard?

Why all the street lights are not burned on Saturday nights as allowed by the fuel commission?

When the first fleet of destroyers will be seen tied up at the docks of the former Portsmouth Brewing Company?

If the freak style directors are going to pull the straw hat gag again this year and force people to be uncomfortable by ordering the lid off in September?

What is the record this season among those star female blueberry pickers in Kittery?

If the public health service have ever taken a prep at parts of the building which it occupies?

Where the Veteran Firemen are going to work on the breaks this year?

Why Congress and Stington streets have separate names?

How many will be in the line of march on Labor Day?

When the women yeomen at the navy yard who are doing much work with the ear, will be ready for another race?

Who will have the honor of laying the corner stone for the new central fire station?

If the spare land of the former Eldridge Brewing Company on Cal street would not make a good location for house lots?

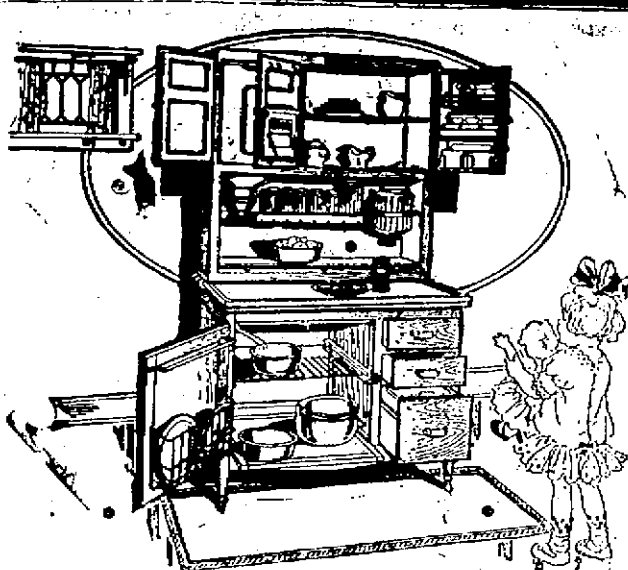
If the fuel boilers out there had anything to do with the proposed new lighting of Haymarket Square?

ONE OF CAMBRAI HEROES HERE

Private William E. Lafay, 14th American engineers, who was in the battle of Cambrai along with our own Captain Lewis and other Portsmouth boys, gave the employees at the Shattuck shipyard some real talk this noon. At 12:40 General Manager George S. Hewins introduced George E. Thompson, who told of the purposes of the U. S. Shipping Board in this great world war. "For God's sake send more ships" is the cry from abroad he said. He introduced Private Lafay, who was given three rousing cheers and then related the story of the terrible battle when he and the boys with him saved the day for the Allies. They dropped their instruments and, seizing guns, drove the Hun.

TO SLOW UP KNITTING

Washington, Aug. 13.—Knitting for the soldiers and sailors is to be checked until the War Industries Board can survey stocks and ascertain whether



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or there is enough woolen and worsted in the country for winter uniforms and overcoats.

The board today directed spinners to discontinue manufacturing woolen and worsted yarns for hand knitting and the shipment of yarns or wool until further notice, and to furnish inventories of their stocks with full information concerning the contracts on which they are working.

DRINKS BARRED TO FOREIGN SOLDIERS

Boston, Aug. 13.—Wine, with its invigorating sparkle, will soon be no more for the lips of foreign soldiers in Boston. And beer will be refused them when they ask for it, and whiskey, too. They will be placed on the same beverage diet as American soldiers and officers.

Some of the cafes around Boston, and a few of the saloons, too, have already posted the "edict" against alcoholic drinks for any man in uniform. This is in answer to the request made by Washington to New York.

ARMY AND NAVY HOME BUSY.

The regular meeting of the Army and Navy Association was held on Monday afternoon. The report of the superintendent, Captain W. L. Hill, showed that the men were taking advantage of the fine quarters there. The association plans to keep up with the demands in providing the best of everything for the men in the service.

Shakespeare "Overrated."

Mr. Justice Darling has admitted that he knows "a bit about racing." He certainly knows more about literature, however, and therein differs from one of his predecessors on the bench, Baron Martin. Mr. Adolphus Liddell, who acted as the bureau's marshal in 1872, states that he "had a prodigious acquaintance with racing history, and knew the winners of all the chief events for many years back." "In history, literature and art he seemed to take no interest whatever, and if ever he had any education in these he had discarded it. Many stories were current illustrative of this peculiar condition of his mind, such as his remark that 'Shakespeare is an enormously overrated man.'"—London Chronicle.

Building Record.

All building records were broken recently at Grasmere, N. J., where a United States base hospital is located. In five hours a force of 300 men erected a building 230 feet long and 38 feet wide. In the finished building, when the workmen laid down their tools, was a steam-heating plant, sewer connections, electric lights and a bath-room with tiled floor. The work started at 7 o'clock in the morning, with men digging post holes. When the whistle blew at noon the last workman in the building was putting on his coat, with the task completed.

You Know It!

William Gillette, the actor, was showing George H. Broadhurst, the playwright, over his country estate. They arrived at the sheepfold, and at sight of their master the woolly inmates came bleating to the bars. "See how the little things love me," George said the owner, proudly. "Love—thunder!" said Broadhurst. "They come to you because they are hungry and they think you are going to feed them." "George," said Gillette, "when you have reached a certain age that passes or love."—Facts.

All kinds of excitement prevailed at Hampton and Salisbury beaches today and the coast guard members were kept busy.

WILL TAX DRINKS AT SODA FOUNTAINS

Washington, Aug. 13.—A 10 percent tax on all soft drinks sold by manufacturers, producer, bottler or importer and a tax of from 2 to 20 cents on soda fountain drinks were written into the \$3,000,000,000 revenue bill Monday by the Ways and Means committee.

The proposal is to put a tax of 10 cents on each 10 cents paid for a soft drink sold at soda fountain and of one cent upon sales of seven cents or less. Near beer and similar fermented beverages would pay 10 cents per gallon. The committee expects to raise from this source somewhere close to \$100,000,000.

The committee took the proprietary medicine and patent medicine out of the manufacturers' 10 per cent tax and grouped them in a 10 per cent stamp tax. The government expects by this change largely to increase the revenue, although the tax rate is the same, because of the higher retail prices.

It is estimated that approximately \$10,000,000 would be raised by shifting the patent medicine and drug schedules from a manufacturer's tax of 10 per cent to a stamp tax on the consumer at the same rate.

Passenger Service Up-to-Date

(From the New York Commercial)
So seriously has the railroad service of America deteriorated since the beginning of the year, when the Federal Government assumed control, that the Railroad Administration has found it necessary to warn railroad employees to be courteous in their treatment of passengers and other persons seeking information or transacting business. Under private management this rule was, "the public be pleased." Under Government control it has been fast becoming, "the public be damned." Whatever may be the case of the freight traffic, every traveler affirms that the passenger service has gone to the dogs and most of the railroad employees have ceased to care what becomes of passengers. The Railroad Administration's circular to employees proves the substantial truth of the many complaints that have been registered.

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FOYE'S

DOING HER BIT WITHOUT EXPENSE

Sergeant Ruth Farnum, the only woman soldier of the Allied armies, who spoke at the local Methodist church on Sunday morning, gave a lecture on Sunday evening at the City Opera House in Dover before a large and enthusiastic audience.

Sergeant Farnum gave an address at Whitman, Mass., Monday evening and speaks at a city in Connecticut this evening, after which she will take a two weeks' much needed rest.

Sergeant Farnum pays all her own expenses on these lecture tours in the interest of Serbian relief and has her-

self given largely of her means for the cause. Her book, "A Nation at Bay," like her lectures, has won for her a warm place in the hearts of Americans. This great book was not written for personal profit as all her royalties on it she gives to war relief. That it immediately took its place among the great war books is evident by the fact that it went into its second edition two days after its publication.

ATTENTION.

Members of Boilermakers, Iron Shipbuilders and Helpers Local 467. Meeting of Importance, Aug. 14, Pygmalion Hall.
Election of Business Agent and Treasurer. Don't be a slacker.
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Some good trades in Preserving Kettles, Coffee and Tea Pots, and Double Boilers. The Percolators were all sold out, and like everything else, the price will be much more on the next shipment. So come in and look things over. There is still time to save in the purchase of high grade aluminum.

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HUSE WITHDRAWS AS CANDIDATE

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The candidacy of Oscar H. Huse as treasurer of Rockingham county has created in the minds of some individuals the impression that the Rockingham County Farmers' Association is becoming involved in county politics. To assure the public that the Farmers' Association's only object is to promote the agricultural interests of Rockingham County, the executive committee has requested Mr. Huse to withdraw as candidate for the position of county treasurer, which he has magnanimously consented to do, for the purpose of maintaining the policy of the Association, in its resolution, "not to have its employees and officers candidates for County offices."

PORTSMOUTH BOYS WHO ARE NOW OVERSEAS

A list of Portsmouth boys now overseas is printed below. If any names have been omitted they will be published from time to time. Relatives will notify this paper.

Ralph G. Adams.
Lt. Philip B. Badger.
Ralph W. Badger.
Lt. Robert J. Ballard.
Philip B. Bennett.
Clifton Berry.
Edward P. Bickford.
*Lt. Frank E. Boone.
Charles E. Brackett.
Herman W. Brunker.
Harold E. Burke.
Sherman F. Burke.
Franklin E. Butler.
Corp. Edwin M. Campbell.
Ralph C. Campbell.
Ray G. Caswell.
Cornelius E. Coffey.
Thomas E. Collins.
Christopher M. Conlan.
John J. Connors.
Arthur H. Craig, Jr.
Horace W. Craig.
Philip B. Dennett.
Sumner F. Dennett.
Arthur H. DeCourcy.
Corp. Ralph E. Dowdell.
Dennis J. Detsch.
Charles E. Dunton.
George R. Durand.
Jacob M. Durand.
Harold L. Dutton.
Halley Van Ness Emery, French service.

Arthur J. Flanagan.
Robinson A. Fogg, Naval aviator.
Harold Gardner.
Frederick Gooding.
Charles Goussé.
Philip B. Green.
Lt. Philip J. Griffin.
Edgar R. Grover.
Carl W. Hanson.
Pay E. Hall.
Howard C. Hersey.
Corp. Hugh C. Hill.
Sergeant Clarence H. Holt.
Ralph E. Holt.
William J. Holland.
Sergeant Edward C. Holmes.
Felix Jankowski.
Oscar H. Johnson.
John Kelleher.
Lt. Francis F. Kellogg.
Henry W. Kennedy.
Sergeant Heczekiah P. Long.
Charles W. Lewis.
Paul H. Lewis.
George W. Longeneau.
Percy A. Lowd.
James H. Mahoney.
Fred L. Martin.
Corp. John H. McCarthy.
Sergeant Paul B. McCarthy.
2nd Lt. Ralph G. McCarthy.
Hector A. Melsane.
Charles B. H. Miles.
John J. Moran.
Roland P. Otis.
Lt. Edward G. Parker.
William H. Parks.
Peter Petronal.
Perley A. Quimby.
Joseph P. Quinn.
Thomas J. Quinn.

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Sergeant Joseph A. Sussman.
Brig. Gen. Harry Taylor, on Gen. Pershing's staff.
Frank Vincliquerra.
Sergeant Jeremy R. Waldron.
Alfred E. Whalen.
J. K. Wilson.
Harry H. Wortman.
Donald P. Yeaton.
*Killed in action.

MORE TOLL TAKEN BY U-BOATS

(Continued from Page One)

and was on the way from Bergen, Norway, to New York. Captain Hansen, master of the ship, said she was sunk at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. The crew took to their boats and was later picked up by a passing vessel.

Nantucket, Aug. 12.—The auxiliary schooner Earl and Nettie was added today to the list of fishing vessels sunk by a German submarine off Georges Bank Saturday. The six members of the crew were picked up 100 miles east of Nantucket and brought here with four survivors of the schooner Lena May, who reported that their vessel had been sunk by gunfire, after being looted by a boarding squad from the U-boat.

Efforts to find other fishermen adrift in dories was held up by the fog. Ten fishing vessels are now known to have been sunk besides the British steamer Panistone and the Swedish steamer Sydland.

Captain Lynch and two members of the crew of the Lena May have not been accounted for by their shipmates who reached here. The Earl and Nettie's men reported that they were subjected to many indignities by the U-boat's crew. Their personal effects as well as provisions and clothing were taken.

PERSONALS

Miss Edith Coram has returned from a month's visit at West Groton, Mass. Hon. George H. Moses of Concord, candidate for U. S. Senator, was a visitor here today.

P. L. Wallace of Manchester was a visitor here on Monday and inspected the local ship plants.

Miss Agnes Mahoney who has been passing two weeks in this city, her former home, has returned to Boston. Lieut. George W. Coram is home from Watertown, Mass., on a twenty-four hours' leave to visit his family in this city.

Elias J. Emery has returned to Wellington having passed the week end with his family, who are spending the summer with Mrs. Emery's sister, Mrs. Chas. B. Foster.

Inspector Olin H. Chase of Concord, Inspectors Dwyer of Exeter, McGowan of Colebrook and Knox of Madbury, passed the week end as the guests of Robert M. Herrick at his cottage at Foss Beach.

NAVY YARD NOTES

One Hundred More Women.

One hundred more women were called by the Industrial Department today as female operators, along with the following other tradesmen required, 2 polishers, buffers and platers, 2 carpenters, 2 painters, 2 electricians, 1 machinist, 5 pipelayers, 2 engineers and 6 general helpers.

Parade Was Fine.

The regimental parade held on the occasion of the celebration of "Tom Brown" Day by the naval prisoners on Saturday last was one of the great features of the day.

Going Back to Duty.

One hundred and sixty men restored to duty from the naval prison left for another party today to be assigned to active duty.

Here From the Bureau.

Naval Constructor H. W. Hyden of the bureau of construction and repair, was at the local yard today on business of the department. He was a former assistant at this station.

Dr. Tompkinson to Speak.

Dr. George E. Tompkinson of Philadelphia, connected with the Emergency Fleet Corporation, will be one of the speakers to address the yard workmen at the patriotic meeting to be held on Wednesday at noon.

RUMMAGE SHOP

It is the unexpected which happened and every day new articles are sent to the Rummage Shop and sold. Mrs. Robert S. Bradley of Biddeford Crossing brought down a motor full of articles on Saturday—2 beautiful lamps, egg books, bird-niches, etc. People are very generous in giving and in buying and the rummage shop grows accordingly. The shop is open daily.

HEALTH BOARD LABORATORY IS OPENED

Local Public Health Service
Will Examine Milk and
Water in Use Here.

The laboratory recently opened in Portsmouth as a central laboratory for the Portsmouth-Kittery Sanitary District will play an important role in the control of communicable diseases in this section. Examinations will be made of all material sent in by physicians as an aid in diagnosis of typhoid fever, dysentery, diphtheria, tuberculosis, meningitis, septic sore throat, gonorrhea infection, etc.

Samples of milk and water will be examined bacteriologically for sanitary quality. Frequent examinations will be made of all milk supplies in order to check the purity of these supplies and detect those not meeting state law requirements. The state law prohibits 500,000 bacteria per cubic centimeter or a limit of 2,500,000 in each teaspoonful, unquestionably too high an allowance for raw milk. Twenty-five samples examined at this laboratory showed 49 per cent running higher than 500,000 per c.c. It is the intention to enforce this statutory limit in order to improve the quality of milk sold in Portsmouth and the laboratory will play an important part in this work.

It is the desire of the Public Health Service Officer in charge of this Sanitary District to establish the laboratory on a definite working basis and to have it a permanent fixture in the City Health Department. It will not be necessary then for the physicians to send material to the State Laboratory.

All physicians are urged to make frequent use of this laboratory. Every facility available is at their disposal free of cost. Sanitary bacteriologist Katherine Marden of the Public Health Service is in charge at the laboratory. Miss Marden was previously in charge of a similar laboratory at Greenville, S. C., in the extra environment zone there.

Lemon Juice For Freckles

Girl! Make beauty lotion at home for a few cents. Try it!

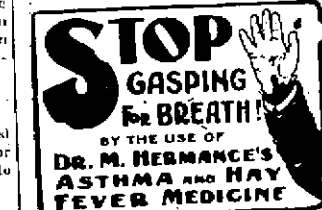
Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is marvelous.

LOCAL PLAYERS DO FINE WORK WITH BIDDEFORD TEAM

In the account of this game at Biddeford on Saturday when Jordan, Moran, J. Bailey and Estabrook lined up with the Diamond Match Co. team against the Biddeford Journal has the following relative to the Portsmouth battery:

"In one Bill Moran, the Diamond Match management has a classy pitcher. It was a treat to see him work Saturday afternoon, along with his battery mate, Jack Bailey of Portsmouth."



For Sale by following druggists: D. W. Adams, Benjamin Green, G. E. Philbrick, Fred B. Coleman.

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month, N. H. This pair could not have been mentioned. He contributed one run. Hagen only allowed one hit through the blue line, and it is not necessary to dwell upon the fact that this is championship work.

Estabrook, who by the way is playing the game of his career this summer, might have been mentioned. He contributed one run, two outs, and three assists. The Diamond Match shut out their opponents by a score of 3 to 0.

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WIN FIFTEEN INNING GAME AT PORTLAND

Atlantic Team Shuts Out Cumberland in Fastest Game of Season.

Portland base ball fans were treated to some fast game on Saturday afternoon when the Atlantic Corporation team from this city struggled for 15 innings against Cumberland shipbuilding team at Bayside Park.

The Portland Sunday Press gives the following account of the game:

After holding the Atlantic Corporation of Portsmouth, N. H., Freddie Parent's and Ira Newell's club of baseball tossers representing the fastest outfit in New Hampshire, scoreless and down to five scattered hits for 14 snappy innings at Bayside park Saturday afternoon, "Lem" Pike's backers on the Cumberland Shipbuilding team gave way, the fifteenth session of the best game at Bayside this season proving the stumbling block which caused the Cumberland to retire from the diamond trying hard to digest a 4 to 0 defeat without showing any signs of real suffering. The mistake happened in a few seconds but it cost the local shipbuilders a game which should have been theirs and would have had not old father "Fate" taken a hand and ruled which way the tide should turn. It was a sad ending one of the saddest borne by local fans this season, seeing a team that really proved capable of handling a crew of "big leaguers," such as the Atlantics are, lose out after showing everything that baseball brains can possibly display on the diamond. But Freddie Parent's crew shouldered a heavy burden when they chose to oppose a club of the calibre that the Atlantics exhibited and it was a big surprise to see the "School boys" handle "fathers" of baseball the way they did. It was creditable in every way. Had not the game lead up to such an instance as it did or if the Cumberland had any luck at all on the breaks, the score would have undoubtedly been different, the Cumberland would have won 1 to 0.

The game fell to pieces in the fifteenth when after two players of the Atlantics, Pilgrim and Gouville, got on the bases, Freddie Parent hit a hot one to Flavin at short. The man on second was advancing to third while the man on first started for second. Flavin fielded the ball perfectly and as a matter of judgment chose second to throw to instead of first, the nearest base to play. Throwing to second he found Gouville, the second baseman off the bag which meant a wild throw to this sack and before he could again collect himself Parent had reached first and the players were safe all around. With the bases crowded our old friend Chet Sweet took his turn at bat and smacked out a pretty wallop sending the first run of the game across the plate. Pilgrim scoring. The bases still filled, Swasey playing center field for the Atlantics, connected for a double which resulted in three more runs being scored. Here the Cumberland stopped the enemy but it was too late. This session failed to bring any results for the Cumberland.

The little wonder Pilgrim, who was booked to make his appearance here didn't show up but the Atlantic corporation, which by the way is a big shipbuilding concern, did bring along some classy players. Freddie Parent that youth of 48 summers was with them and proved that if you know the way, old father age sometimes can be fooled. Freddie certainly played a "sweet" game. Chet Sweet was a welcome figure on the diamond but we guess the fans didn't quite recognize him. If some of the old Eastern league enthusiasts were only on hand Chet would have received a much warmer reception. His pretty hit did the trick, typical of Chet's playing.

Dameron who played the Providence club this season was also with the visitors while a number of ex-high school stars were in the lineup. The battle yesterday was a pitchers' fight and here "Lem" Pike shined. The big boys from Portsmouth were easily mastered by "Lem" and for the better part of the game he had "em sailing from his hand. Pike showed something yesterday and took his chair in the hall of twirlers. O'Brien of the visitors also put up a stiff fight through and made it hard for the locals, allowing them but six safe bingles.

Among the features of the game was the handling of a hot aerial drive by Fred Ostergren on first, a kick from the clouds by Thompson, a one hander by Pilgrim and a beautiful stab of a liner by Freddie Parent. The score:

Atlantic Corporation		ab	h	bi	po	a	e
Parent, ss.	7	1	3	2	0	4	0
Swasey, 2b.	7	1	1	4	3	0	0
Dameron, cf.	7	0	1	4	0	0	0
Dameron, 1b.	4	0	0	1	7	3	0
Brackett, c.	6	0	0	8	4	0	0
Swasey, 3b.	6	0	0	3	1	1	0
Pilgrim, cf.	7	1	1	4	0	1	0
Gouville, lf.	5	1	2	2	0	0	0
O'Brien, p.	6	0	1	2	1	2	1
Totals	53	4	9	45	21	3	2

Cumberland Ship.		ab	h	bi	po	a	e
Davis, cf.	6	0	1	3	0	0	0
Algham, cf.	6	0	2	3	0	0	0
Cady, 2b.	6	0	0	4	2	0	0
Ward, c.	6	0	0	7	0	0	0
Ostergren, 1b.	6	0	0	15	0	0	0
Cummings, 3b.	5	0	1	3	0	0	0
Pike, p.	6	0	1	0	5	0	0
Thompson, lf.	6	0	1	7	0	0	0
Flavin, ss.	4	0	0	2	5	0	0
Totals	50	0	6	45	15	0	0

Atlantic.....0000000000000000-4
Cumb. Ship. 0000000000000000-0

Two base hits, Dameron, Swasey, Stolen bases, Davis, Moehan, Cummings, Parent, Dameron, (Double plays, Flavin to Ostergren; Thompson to Flavin to Ostergren. Left on bases, Atlantics, 8; Cumberland, 3. Bases on balls, off O'Brien, 2; off Pike, 3. Hit by pitcher, by O'Brien, (Davis) by Pike, (Dameron, 2). Struck out, by Pike, 6; by O'Brien, 7. Umpires, Tom Catterson. Time, 2:20.

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SUNSET LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Atlantic	11	3	.782
L. H. Shattuck	9	5	.643
K. of C.	8	5	.600
P. A. C.	8	5	.600
Y. M. C. A.	1	10	.333
Army	3	10	.230

The P. A. C. and the K. of C. played a very fast game on Monday evening, the former winning by a score of 1 to 0. It was a pitchers' battle with Horan getting the better of the arguments allowing but two hits and just twenty-two men were at the bat. He got great support from his infield. Wilbur getting seventeen put outs, and making a fast double play unassisted himself. Howard at second had three put outs and four assists and Harrington at short played a snappy game. Horan also fielded his position in fine shape. Coyle in the box for the K. of C. pitched good ball allowing but three hits and he passed three men none of which were dangerous. He got good support except in the second inning and in the seventh Kenneally made a great catch off Vaughan's drive to right field.

The P. A. C. scored their only run in the second. Horan got a pass, but was forced at second on Jordan's grounder to Reardon. Lynskey tied to Jordan who threw wild to double Jordan and he advanced a base. Vaughan singled to right and on Conroy's boomer the ball Jordan was able to score. C. Brackett fanning.

In the fourth Wilbur opened with a double but he did not get beyond that sack as the next three men were out in order. In the seventh when Lynskey got on by Estabrook's error, Vaughan hit a long ball to right which Kenneally pulled down after a long run.

The Knight's only opportunity came in the sixth when Timmons singled, advanced on Reardon's sacrifice and Coyle drew a pass. Estabrook hit a hard grounder in Wilbur who tagged first and then doubled Coyle off the bag.

P. A. C.

	ab	h	bi	po	a	e
Thomas, c.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Harrington, ss.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Howard, 2b.	1	0	0	3	4	0
Wilbur, 1b.	3	0	1	7	1	0
Jordan, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Jordan, cf.	3	1	0	0	0	0
Lynskey, lf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Vaughan, r.f.	3	0	1	0	0	0
C. Brackett, 3b.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	24	1	2	11	7	0

K. of C.

	ab	h	bi	po	a	e
Estabrook, ss.	3	0	1	3	2	0
P. Bailey, 1b.	3	0	0	5	0	0
Connors, cf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kenneally, r.f.	1	0	1	0	0	0
J. Bailey, c.	2	0	0	6	1	0
Caverella, 3b.	3	0	0	1	1	0
McCabe, lf.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Timmons, cf.	2	0	1	3	0	0
Reardon, 2b.	1	0	1	2	0	0
Coyle, p.	1	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	19	0	2	21	3	0

Innings.....1 2 3 4 5 6 7
P. A. C.4 10 0 0 0 0-1

Two-base hits—Thomas, Wilbur; Sacrifice hits—Reardon; Stolen bases—Howard, 2; Struck out by Horan 2, off Coyle 3; Double plays—Wilbur unassisted; Time—1 hr. 10 mi. Umpire—Woods.

BOARD OF REGISTRARS.

The Board of Registrars will be in session at City Hall on the following dates, August 13, 16, 23, 27 and 28, from 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5, and 7 to 9 p. m., to prepare checklists for the Primary Election of September 3, 1918. Also on election morning from 8 to 12 to grant certificates to such legal voters whose names may have been omitted from the lists.

R. C. GRAY, Chairman.
F. T. HARTSON, Clerk. Adv.

KITTERY WOMEN WOULD WIN

In Massachusetts prizes are offered for the biggest blueberries picked this season, but not—observe the distinction—for the biggest berries about picking blueberries—Concord. Monitor.

Sorry this prize contest does not extend to Maine for the prizes would go to some of those Kittery women for the biggest berry as well as the biggest story.

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HAVE QUEER PETS

Lonely Men in Signal Tower Welcome All Sorts.

Cockroach That Likes Tobacco and Drinks Ink is One Visitor—Teard Came Regularly for Its Feast of Filth.

A Boston and Maine railroad signal towerman tells this story of pets he has made in his lonely perch above the tracks:

At midnight nine months ago a cockroach crept out from under the telegraph desk and began to drink out of the inkwell; just about that time I laid my cigar down on the desk and began to work the telegraph key.

The cockroach walked over to my cigar and sucked at the moist end for a second or so, then ran to the inkwell again and took a drink, then came back to the cigar; he repeated this performance several times and staggered away drunk as a lord.

Every night around midnight for the past nine months this cockroach has drunk from the inkwell on my desk and either sucked the moist end of my cigar, or some moistened tobacco I place near the inkwell for him.

One of the boys found a tiny muskrat in the marsh back of the signal tower one day, and he brought it into the tower. The muskrat became very tame and proved a most affectionate pet. He slept on the desk near the telegraph instruments, for over two years. Although he went out very often, he wouldn't stay long, and would scratch at the door until some of us would run downstairs and let him in. Unfortunately, our pet was killed by a freight train while crossing the tracks near the tower one day.

After the muskrat died we brought in a tiny woodchuck that a trainman had captured out on the line, and he became very much attached to all of us, and, like the muskrat, he became a very clever and amusing pet. "Shuck" stayed with us two years, and finally he disappeared one day. Possibly some dog got him, or he may have been crushed by a train.

For the past 20 years an English sparrow has nested in the eaves of the tower, and this sparrow flies in and out of the tower at will, picks up bread crumbs on the floor and catches an occasional cockroach. What worries the tower men is that our pet sparrow may some day eat our pet cockroach.

Last year a toad hopped up on to the doorstep of the tower and sat there blinking. One of the boys fed him a fly, and the toad gobbled it in an instant, and every afternoon all summer long that toad hopped up on to the step and ate flies as fast as the railroad men would feed them to him. The boys took turns and fed him in relays; the yardmaster said the boys were neglecting their work to feed the toad; but he became so fascinated watching the performance that he caught flies for an hour one day and fed the toad.

I'm afraid the toad will go hungry this summer if he shows up, for we're too busy moving war supplies to bother with feeding pets around a railroad yard.

Every stray dog that ever wandered into the yard has found a haven in the tower, and several litters of puppies have been born there.

We've had cats galore; one cat in particular was a snake catcher, and she brought in a snake nearly every day.

Stole Sugar by Bucketfuls.

Sugar thieves employed an ingenious method the other day at Launceston, Australia. A quantity of sugar had been bought for export but, ships not being immediately available, it was decided to store the stuff at the port. Accordingly, huts were built on the wharves, but as the decking had shrunk somewhat, tarpaulins were first laid down, and then the sugar bags placed on this. The doors were locked, and a watchman placed in charge. When the time came to empty the sheds the bottom tier of bags were found flat and empty, with a slit in the under side. Each slit corresponded with one in the tarpaulin directly over space in the plank. The method of the sugar thieves was simple. When the tide was about half-way up the piles, a boat was taken under the wharves as near as possible to the stores, and then it was only a matter of crawling over the ties, knife and bucket in hand, until the right spot was reached.

Brave Act Rewarded.

Arthur G. Palmer, a water tender attached to the United States ship O'Brien was overboard and struggling in the water. A strong ebb tide was running and Palmer had all he could do to keep from going down. At the moment when he was near exhaustion David Goldman, a machinist's mate, second class, jumped overboard and, beating his way through the rough water, reached the man and brought him to safety. He has been commended by the secretary of the navy for this action. Goldman enlisted in the navy in 1911 at San Francisco.

Concrete Ship in Norway.

Commercial Agent Norman L. Anderson reports the launching of a 600-ton concrete ship from the Fougner yards at Moss, Norway. The ship has four water-tight compartments; the engine, a 220 horsepower Bollinger motor, is placed aft. The boat has two large holds and two hatches, each equipped with a two-ton motor winch.

WOODWORKERS HOLD OPEN MEETING

The Woodworkers helpers held an open meeting at Woodman's hall on Market street Monday evening. There were talks by President R. A. Conroy of the State Federation of Labor, Mr. Harford of the Metal Trades Council and other labor leaders.

POLICE NEWS

There were six for disorderly conduct, one for non-support, one for assault, a drunk and five lodgers on the police blotter last night. Four for disorderly conduct two girls and two men were brought in from the Wentworth house road, where they were breaking; others were two young men caught looking in windows on Hanover street.

William Huggins colored, an ex-prize fighter was charged with assault on his wife. Herbert B. Powell giving his occupation as a plumber was charged with non-support.

MAY CHARGE AT NAVAL GAMES

Order from Washington Reverses Position Taken by Rear Admiral Wood Regarding Admission Fees

Gate collections may be taken up at all naval athletic contests in the first naval district, according to an order received from the Bureau of Navigation at Washington. Rear Admiral Spencer S. Wood, who received the order, would make no comment. He has been opposed even to taking collections at athletic events where Navy teams were entered, but he stated that it was not proper for him to criticize or comment on any order issued by the Secretary of the Navy. The State has provided against the taking of a gate collection on Sundays, and it is a question whether a collection taken among the spectators does not come within the meaning of the law.

METHODIST CHURCH

At the Methodist church on Sunday evening the pastor, Rev. Hollis S. Tuttle, gave an able sermon. The male quartette rendered selections and Mrs. George Chaffee sang "Sometime, Some day."

There were a number of enlisted men in the congregation and the pastor asked how many of them would like to be associated with this church during their stay in this vicinity. In response to the appeal thirteen pairs to the blue and khaki came down to the pulpit platform.

Read the Warm Ads.

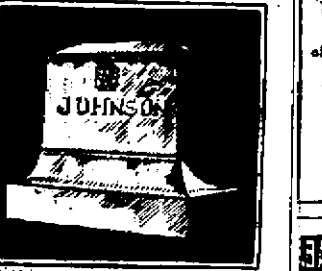
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BIG GAME THIS EVENING

The game in the Sunset League this evening will be between the Atlantic and the Shattuck, and as the rivalry between these two teams is well known, the game should be very in-

teresting. Both are contenders for while the Atlantic have a good lead, the Shattuck team still has hopes of closing them out.

NOTICE

Dr. H. B. Fuller has moved his office to 47 Congress street, Mechanics Building.—Adv.



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**Prices Will Go Up and Sea
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The activities of the U-boats along the coast is causing the fishermen much concern and is liable to make the market short of sea products and the prices sky high.

Today one of the fishermen told the Herald man that the people are liable to get some fishless days, even on a Friday unless the fishing fleet is protected while at work on the fishing grounds.

The matter rests with the government. The recent sinking of the ships has caused fear among the men and they are not to take any chances unless their own boats can be armed to meet the German sea snakes, or protected otherwise along the coast.

LAWN PARTY BY CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS

The Rockingham County Christian Endeavor Society held a successful lawn party Monday evening on the grounds of the Shelburne Inn. The attendance was gratifying, the affair one of social interest and about \$75 will be cleared from the same for the Red Cross.

The grounds were prettily trimmed with Japanese lanterns and Red Cross flags and lighted by strings of electric lights, the effect being especially pleasing.

Tables, prettily trimmed, were arranged about the lawn for the sale of fancy work, aprons, feed delinks and ice cream and these were well patronized throughout the evening. At the Hoover table recipes for war breads, cakes and cookies and a sample with each were sold. In the center of this table was arranged a miniature tank.

An auction table was a novelty, the goods here being sold to the highest bidder. Madam Cooper of the well known gypsy tribe told fortunes during the evening and Maria Cooper sold sweet grass and baskets at a table devoted to this purpose.

A feature of the evening was the music rendered by the band of twenty musicians from one of the ships at the navy yard. The selections were spirited and the music added much to the success of the party, the services of the band being given on this occasion as the lawn party was in aid of the Red Cross.

The ladies were in general charge of the following:

Fancy work—Portsmouth—Y. P. C. E. society, Miss Anna Seavey.

Ice cream—Austin Barrett, Wallace Ruff.

Afrons—Hampton Y. P. C. E. society.

iced drinks—Exeter—Baptist Y. P. C. E. society.

Candy tables—Newton Christian and North Hampton Christian Y. P. C. E. societies.

Hoover table—Newmarket Baptist Y. P. C. E. society.

Mystery table—Newton Baptist church Y. P. C. E. society.

Auction table—Hastings Baptist church Y. P. C. E. society. Ervin Seavey, auctioneer.

Cooked food—Portsmouth Y. P. C. E. society.

The decorating committee was Evelyn Seavey, Austin Barrett, Earl Macdonald, Earl Smart, Carleton Badger, Mr. King.

The general committee in charge of the affair was Ervin Seavey, Lyman Macdonald, Austin Barrett, Evelyn Badger, Pearl Holt, Anna Seavey.

The officers of the Rockingham County Christian Endeavor Society are as follows:

President—Lyman Macdonald, Portsmouth.

Vice president, Miss Mabel Hayes, Exeter.

Secretary, Miss Evelyn Badger, Portsmouth.

Treasurer, Miss Thelma Shaw, Hampton.

Chairman of Lookout Committee, Mrs. Hattie Seavey, North Hampton.

Junior Superintendent, Mrs. Hazel Jones Reib, Exeter.

Pastoral Council, Rev. William P. Stanley, Portsmouth.

The committee worked untiringly for the success of the lawn party and well deserve the success which crowned their efforts.

THE HERALD HEARS

That last Saturday's instance at the B. & M. ticket office in this city was another record breaker.

That Mrs. Jeremiah Moon, who died recently at Waynesboro, Md., made a strange will.

That she ended her life by shooting herself with her husband's pistol.

That she left a note written with a lead pencil in which she requested her husband to destroy her will and sell the place for a tombstone.

That the parties who rob war gardens are more degraded than the Hun.

That the Concord food committee are

not on the track of such mean, low criminals.

That \$50 reward has been posted for information relative to garden robbers.

That the police of that city intend to make an example of those detected in such work.

That such stealing is really taking what the boys in the trenches need.

That Frank Kennedy of Rochester, employed at the Atlantic Corporation, is some handout king.

That the Rochester man has a record of some handout stunts with the Iron bracelets.

That the people are anxious to hear that big navy yard civilian band that is in progress of organization.

That they hope it will be in line on Labor Day.

That the public works office is in the hands of the painters.

That other parts of the municipal building needs paint and a lot of other things.

That it's almost a waste of money to patch up that old building.

That the president of the Glee Club says that some of the members are doing both "working and fighting."

That the U-boats are likely to send the price of fish higher than ever if the work against the trawlers continues.

LOCAL DASHES

Don't miss the Whitman orchestra dance tonight.—Adv.

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Battery charging at the Willard Station, rear of Postoffice.—Adv.

SHATTUCK SHIP YARD NOTES

The total force has now reached three thousand.

Fuel officer W. J. Cater of Portsmouth was at the plant on Monday to inquire into free fuel for those who care to haul it.

The next launching on the 24th will be quite an affair.

The shipping board housing inspector is with us once more.

Quite a few temporary houses are being built near the plant.

Some fifty more workmen presented themselves on Monday.

POLICE COURT

Myrtle Kelley, Pacheco and Clara Kelley Heatley, both of Newmarket and several other places appeared in the Municipal court today charged with being disorderly and idle persons.

Myrtle and Clara had been in this port before and were previously given passports by the local police. They could not keep away and came back for the season of camping at New Castle where they expected to charm some of the soldier boys on the way back and forth to the army reservation.

The court and the police said a few things to both women today which should be a warning to them in the future. After the court, lecture Judge (Hupill) sent them both to the House of Correction for 6 months each and added the costs of court to be worked out amounting to \$6.50.

Herbert B. Powell formerly from Vermont was heard on a complaint of his wife who charged non support. He was ordered to pay the sum of \$15 weekly for her support and at first objected to the court's ruling. He later agreed to the order when the court gave him the choice of six months at Wentworth or paying the weekly amount.

William Huggins charged with assault on his wife was released after the payment of \$20 and costs of \$6.50.

OLIVER—HUTCHINS

Harry D. Oliver and Elizabeth Hutchins both of this city were married on Sunday by Rev. Percy W. Caswell.

ANOTHER ASSISTANT AGENT

Mrs. Arthur Tyler of Madison, N.H., has been appointed an assistant at the B. & M. Ticket office in this city.

SUNSET LEAGUE.

Games this Week.

Wednesday—Atlantic vs. Shattuck. Thursday—Atlantic vs. Army.

TO INVESTIGATE CHARGE RENT PROFITEERING

Officials of the U. S. Emergency Fleet have asked the Chamber of Commerce in conjunction with the State Safety Committee to investigate alleged rent profiteering in this city. There have been one or two complaints of this nature and a special committee will make a thorough investigation and forward their report to Washington.

ODD LADIES ENTERTAINED

The Odd Ladies' Circle was pleasantly entertained Monday afternoon and evening in Union hall in Freeman's block, the hostesses being Mrs. May Govea, Mrs. Frank Moore and Mrs. Sadie Jenkins.

There were about forty in the gathering and the time passed in pleasant sociability. A bounteous supper of cold meats, salads, assorted cakes, doughnuts, ice cream and coffee was served. The hostesses entertained their guests with much hospitality and all much enjoyed the occasion and expressed their appreciation.

MAYOR LADD FILES FOR COUNCILOR

Will Be Democratic Candidate in Second District at Primary Election.

Mayor S. T. Ladd has made a primary filing for councillor in the second district.

The district includes the towns of Brookfield and Wakefield, Stratford and Rockingham counties, except the towns of Auburn, Chester, Candia, Whitman, Derry, Londonderry, Raymond, Salem. It contains the following towns in Belknap county, Alton, Barnstead, Belmont, Gilford and Gilmanton. The present councillor is Varney of Rochester.

DUE AUGUST 21ST.

Hendricks and Hickey, N. B. Premier ball room dancers with a recent win from Dugan and Luce at the Nautical Gardens. Hevere, at Freeman's hall, Wed. evening Aug. 21st.—Adv.

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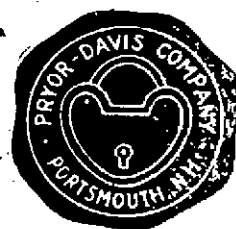


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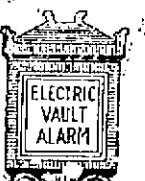
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